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Sir:

This is in response to Office actions mailed 10/20/2008. A request for a two-month extension is attached

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.  
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